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(Only for new nonprovisional applications Title of Invention **COLOR FADING/DISCOLORATION** under 37 CFR 1.53(b)) PREVENTIVE AGENT APPLICATION ELEMENTS ADDRESS TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application Box Patent Application contents. Washington, DC 20231 1. ■ Fee Transmittal Form 6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix) 2. Specification [Total Pages 47] 7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission - Descriptive title of the Invention (if applicable, all necessary) - Cross References to Related Applications a. Computer Readable Copy - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored b. ☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy) R&D c. Statement verifying identity of above copies - Reference to Microfiche Appendix - Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS - Brief Description of the Drawings 8. Assignment papers (cover sheet & document(s)) (if filed) 9. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement - Detailed Description (When there is an assignee) - Claim(s) □ Power of Attorney - Abstract of the Disclosure 10. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable) □ Formal Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets *] 11. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) /PTO-4. ☐ Oath or Declaration [Total pages *] 1449 a. Newly executed (original or copy) □ Copies of IDS Citations (* docs) b. □ Copy from a prior application 12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment with Version with (37 CFR 1.63(d)) Markings to Show Changes Made (for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed) 13. ■ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) [Note Box 5 below] 14. ☐ Assertion to Entitlement to Small Entity Status i. □ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) ☐ Assertion filed in prior application, status Signed statement attached deleting still proper and desired inventor(s) named in the prior 15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) □Priority of application No. * filed on * in * is and 1.33(b). claimed under 35 USC 119. 5. ☐ Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4b is ☐ The certified copy has been filed in prior checked) application Serial No. 08/*. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from 16. ☐ Other: * which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the **OTHER** disclosure of the accompanying application and is 17. ☑ Priority of <u>Japanese</u> Patent Application Nos. hereby incorporated by reference therein. 2001-77061 and 2001-77062 filed March 16, 2001, is claimed under 35 USC 119. 17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information: □ Continuation □ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in part (CIP) of prior application No.: 08/* 18. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS ☑ Customer Number or Bar Code Label 020374 or Correspondence address below **NAME** KUBOVCIK & KUBOVCIK **ADDRESS** 900 17th Street, N.W.

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The benefit of the filing date of each of the following prior foreign applications is hereby requested for the above-identified application, and the priority provided in 35 U.S.C. § 119 is hereby claimed:

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